



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D C 20463

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October 15, 1998

Craig M. Bradley, Treasurer
Massachusetts Democratic State
Committee-Federal Funds
129 Portland Street
Boston, MA 02114

Identification Number: C00089243

Reference: July Quarterly Report (4/1/98-6/30/98)

Dear Mr. Bradley:

This letter is to inform you that as of October 14, 1998, the Commission has not received your response to our request for additional information, dated September 23, 1998. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to this request (copy enclosed).

If no response is received within fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice, the Commission may choose to initiate audit or legal enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Debbie Chacona on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John D. Gibson", followed by a horizontal line.

John D. Gibson
Assistant Staff Director
Reports Analysis Division

Enclosure



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Craig M. Bradley, Treasurer
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129 Portland Street
Boston, MA 02144

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Reference: July Quarterly Report (4/1/98-6/30/98)

Dear Mr. Bradley:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Schedule A of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(f) and 11 CFR §110.1(d) preclude a committee and its affiliates from receiving contributions from another political committee or person in excess of \$5,000 per calendar year.

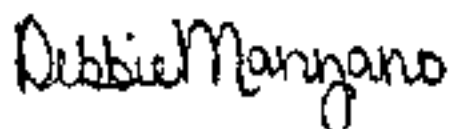
If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with the clarifying information. If the contribution(s) you received exceeded the limits, you must seek reattribution of the contribution pursuant to 11 CFR §110.1(k), transfer-out the amount in excess of \$5,000 to an account not used to influence federal elections or refund the excessive amount to the donor(s) in accordance with 11 CFR §103.3(b). In the best interest of your committee, all reattributions, transfers-out, and refunds should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s). In order to protect the donor's interests, the Commission recommends that you inform the contributor(s) in writing to provide the donor(s) with the option of granting written authorization for a reattribution or transfer-out to another account or receiving a refund.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of your check for the transfer-out or refund. In addition, any reattributions should be reported as memo entries on Schedule A of the report covering the period during which the authorization for the reattribution is received. Any transfers-out or refunds should be disclosed on Schedule B supporting Line 22 or 28 of the report during which the transaction was made.

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the acceptance of an excessive contribution(s), prompt action by your committee to seek reattribution, transfer-out or refund the excessive amount will be taken into consideration.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



Debbie Manzano
Senior Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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ITEMIZED RECEIPTS

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Contributions from Other Political Committees

For Line Number: 11(c)

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Name of Committee (in Full)	Massachusetts Democratic Party	C00089243
<p>A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code American Hospital Association Political Action Committee 325 Seventh Street-NW Washington, DC 20004</p>		
<p>Name of Employer C00106145</p>		
<p>Date (month, day, year) 5/5/98</p>		
<p>Amount of Each Receipt this Period \$1,000.00</p>		
<p>Occupation</p>		
<p>Receipt For: Primary General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Federal Account</p>		
<p>Aggregate YTD 1,000.00</p>		
<p>B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers 1370 Ontario Street Cleveland, OH 44113</p>		
<p>Name of Employer C000599234</p>		
<p>Date (month, day, year) 6/11/98</p>		
<p>Amount of Each Receipt this Period \$300.00</p>		
<p>Occupation</p>		
<p>Receipt For: Primary General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Federal Account</p>		
<p>Aggregate YTD 300.00</p>		
<p>C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Carpenters' Legislative Improvement Committee 301 Constitution Ave., N.W. Washington, DC 20001</p>		
<p>Name of Employer C00001016</p>		
<p>Date (month, day, year) 6/29/98</p>		
<p>Amount of Each Receipt this Period \$5,000.00</p>		
<p>Occupation</p>		
<p>Receipt For: Primary General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Federal Account</p>		
<p>Aggregate YTD 5,000.00</p>		
<p>D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code DRIVE Political Fund 25 Louisiana Avenue NW Washington, DC 20001</p>		
<p>Name of Employer C00032979</p>		
<p>Date (month, day, year) 4/8/98</p>		
<p>Amount of Each Receipt this Period \$5,000.00</p>		
<p>Occupation</p>		
<p>Receipt For: Primary General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Federal Account</p>		
<p>Aggregate YTD 5,000.00</p>		
<p>E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Ray Flynn for Congress Committee 89 High Street 28th Floor Boston, MA 02110</p>		
<p>Name of Employer</p>		
<p>Date (month, day, year) 5/29/98</p>		
<p>Amount of Each Receipt this Period \$110.00</p>		
<p>Occupation</p>		
<p>Receipt For: Primary General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Federal Account</p>		
<p>Aggregate YTD 110.00</p>		
<p>F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code IEPW - C.O.P.E. 1123 15th St. NW Washington, DC 20005</p>		
<p>Name of Employer C00027342</p>		
<p>Date (month, day, year) 6/29/98</p>		
<p>Amount of Each Receipt this Period \$5,000.00</p>		
<p>Occupation</p>		
<p>Receipt For: Primary General <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Federal Account</p>		
<p>Aggregate YTD 5,000.00</p>		

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\$15,410.00

TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only)

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Name of Committee (in Full) **Massachusetts Democratic Party** **CD0089243**

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Chris Iannella Committee	Permissible under the Act	1/27/98	\$45.00
One Boston Place			
Suite 124D			
Boston, MA 02108	Occupation		
Receipt For: Primary General			
X Other: Federal Account	Aggregate YTD		\$45.00

B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
IBEW Educational Committee	CD0027342	1/21/98	\$5,000.00
1125 15th St. NW			
Washington, DC 20005	Occupation		
Receipt For: Primary General			
X Other: Federal Account	Aggregate YTD		\$5,000.00

C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Kaufman Committee	Federally Permissible	2/3/98	\$45.00
17 Volunteer Way			
Lexington, MA 02173	Occupation		
Receipt For: Primary General			
X Other: Federal Account	Aggregate YTD		\$45.00

D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Dorothy Kelly Gay Committee,	Permissible under the Act	2/2/98 0	\$49.00
One Avon Street		2/2/98 0	\$49.00
Somerville, MA 02143	Occupation		
Receipt For: Primary General			
X Other: Federal Account	Aggregate YTD		\$9.00

E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Laborers' Political League	CD0007922	3/13/98	\$5,000.00
906 - 16th Street, N.W.			
Washington, DC 20006	Occupation		
Receipt For: Primary General			
X Other: Federal Account	Aggregate YTD		\$5,000.00

F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code	Name of Employer	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Receipt this Period
Committee to Elect Jordan Levy	Federally permissible	1/12/98	\$45.00
30 Whisper Drive			
Worcester, MA 01609	Occupation		
Receipt For: Primary General			
X Other: Federal Account	Aggregate YTD		\$45.00

SUBTOTAL of Receipts This Page (optional) **\$10,233.00**

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